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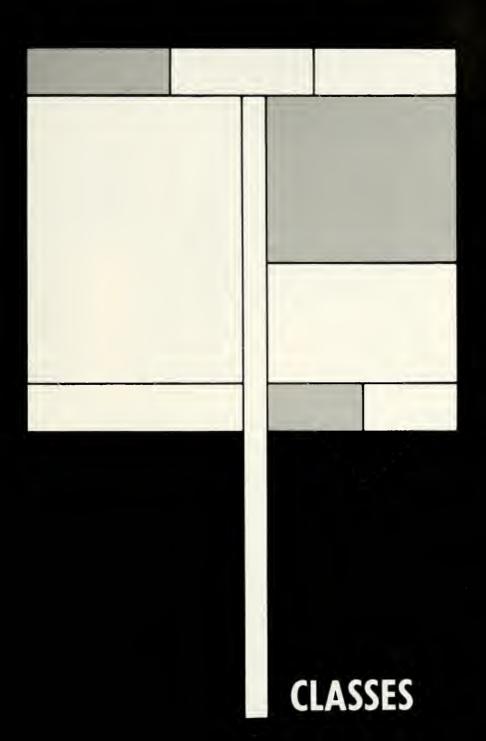
**SCHOOL** 

Carbondale Illinois

#### **DEDICATION**



Try to find out what's going on, where to find someone or something, or what to do about a problem, and the answer is likely to be, "Ask Toney!" For many years, Mrs. Toney Pearce has been a member of the office staff at U-High. She has helped make the school a more pleasant place for students, faculty, and co-workers. Always good-natured and helpful, she has proven herself to be indispensable in so many ways that it would be impossible to name them all. With grateful acknowledgement of how much we are indebted to her, the <u>Tower</u> proudly dedicates this yearbook to Mrs. Pearce.





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### SENIOR CLASS



"Botched another test today ..."



CLASS OFFICERS: Monte Bedford, Pres.; Barbara Wood Sec.-Treas.; Greg Poston, Vice-Pres.



"One for the money ..."



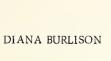
"I'm gonna kill the next guy who corrects me!"

The Class of '68 has the honor of being the last class to graduate from U-High. After working hard toward this moment for four years, these students are at last ready to move into another, more challenging world. The knowledge and experience they have gained at U-High should help them to better face this world, and they only regret that the school can no longer offer its facilities to students in the future.



"Are you a summer blonde, too?"

MONTE BEDFORD LOLA BOHN



WILLIAM CARTER

RICHARD CROWELL
WENDY DAVIS

JOHN DOWNEY
DIANA ENDRES





JAMES FLUMMER
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#### SENIOR INDEX

BEDFORD, MONTE: Track 1, Mile Letter 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Madrigals 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 1; Concerto Contest Winner 3; N. M. C. 3; Student Council 2, Election Ch. 3; Newspaper 1, 4, Feature Ed. 2, Ed. 3; Nat. Hon. Soc. 3, 4; Math Field Day First Place 1, Superior 2; III. State Music Contest 1, 2, 3; Disc 4; Class Pres. 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Discotheque Club 2; Advisory Comm. 4.

BOHN, LOLA: Mu Alpha Theta 1, 2, 3; Newspaper 1; Disc 3; Nova H.S. 1.

BURLISON, DIANA: Twirler 1,2; Band 1,2; F. H. A. 2; State Band Contest 2; N. B. T. A. Contest 1; Benton H. S. 1,2.

CARTER, BILL: Football 1; Basketball 1; Baseball 1; Pep Club 1; Prom Servant 2.

CROWELL, RICHARD: Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; Boys' Chorus 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 2.

DAVIS, WENDY: Newspaper Art Ed. 2, 3; French Club 1; United Student Power Movement 1; C.C. H. S. 1.

DENZEL, SCOTT: Homeroom Officer 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Art Club 3; Football 1, 2; Basketball 1; Track 1; Lab Asst. 3; Junior Class Play 3; C. C. H. S. 1, 2, 3.

DOWNEY, JOHN: Class Pres. 1,2; Newspaper 3,4; Track 1,2,3; Math Field Day 1,2,3; Yearbook 1.

ENDRES, DIANA: Current Events Club 1; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; Sub Juniors 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 3; Latin Club 1; Girls' Basketball 1; St. Mary's Academy, O'Fallon, Mo. 1; Murphysboro H. S. 2.

FLUMMER, JAMES: Science Club 1, 2; Newspaper 2, 3, 4; French Club 2.

GATES, ROBERT: Science Club 1, 2, 3; Radio Comm. 1; Track 1; Newspaper 1, 4; Speech Club 1; Science Fair 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3.

GRAY, MARTY: Spanish Club 1, 2; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1; Yearbook 3, Classes Ed. 4.

GREER, MICHAEL: Wrestling 1, 2; Pep Club 1; Radio Comm. 1, 2.

HAGLER, KURT: Football 1,2; Radio Comm. 1.

HOUGH, CHRIS: Latin Club 1; French Club 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 2; F. H. A. 4; Chorus 3; Starkville H. S., Starkville, Miss., 1.

JACKSON, DEB: Art Club 3, Vice-Pres. 1; Student Council Alt. 1; Newspaper 1, 2; Yearbook 2, 4; F.B.L.A. 2; Band 2, 3; Science Fair 2; G.A.A. 1; Graduation Usher 3; C.P.C. 3; Girls' Glee Club 1; Disc 4; Coolidge Jr. H.S., Granite City 1; Carterville H.S. 2.

JAMES, LARRY: P. H. R. 4; Baseball 2; Hockey 1, 2; Richfield Jr. H. S., Richfield, Minn. 1; Richfield H. S. 2; Carterville H. S. 3.

JOHNSON, JOYCE: French Club 1; Newspaper 1, 2, 3; Speech 2, 3; C. C. H. S. 1.

JOLLY, SHARON: Spanish Club 2, 3; Homecoming Usher 1; Pep Club 1; Yearbook Organ. Ed. 4; Disc 4.

JONES, MARGARET: Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Art Club 2; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3; Candy Stripers 2, 3; C. C. H. S. 1, 2, 3.

KO, GRACE: Senior Girls' Choir 3; Senior Mix Choir 3; Macmillan Club 3; Hong Kong 1, 2; Kitsilano H. S., Vancouver, Canada 3.

LAMKIN, RON: Art Club 1, 2, 3; Rocket Club 1, 2; Nat. Thespians 1, 3, Pres. 2; Creative Writers 1; Explorer Scouts 1, 2, 4, Pres. 3; So. III. Speleological Soc. Photographer 1; Student Council 1; W. Frankfurt H, S. 1, 2, 3.

LEE, ROBERT: Radio Comm. 1,2; Spanish Club 2; Baseball 2,3.

LIMPUS, SCOTT B.: Football 1, 2, 3; Pcp Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 2,

MAGNUS, JERRY: Boys' Chorus 2; Madrigals 2; Newspaper 3, Ed. 4; S.B.P. 4.

MARK, JONATHAN: French Club 2, 3; Math Field Day 1, 2, 3; M. A. A. 2, 3; P. H. R. 4.

MARTIN, JANETTE: F. H. A. 1, 2, 3; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; French Club 1, 2, 3; Yearbook 3, Organ. Ed. 4; Graduation Usher 3; Pep Club 1, 2; Disc 4.

MASTERS, CLIFF: Honor Soc. 1, 2; Mu Alpha Theta 2; Student Council 1, 2; Class Treas. 1; Football 2; P. H. R. 4; Plantation H. S., Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., 1, 2.

MAY, ERNEST: Pep Club 1; Spanish Club 1, 2; Play Go'ers 2; Football 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Track 3; Librarians' Club 2; C. C. H. S. 1, 2.

MERCHANT, PAUL: Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Wrestling 1, 2; Student Council 1; Radio Comm. 1, 2; Yearbook Photographer 2; Newspaper, Asst. Sports Ed. 2.

MIRANTI, JOSEPH P.: Science Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 1, 2, 3; Basketball 2; School Play 1; Radio Comm. 1, 2.

POSTON, GREG: Track 1; Class Vice-Pres, 4.

PRATT, MIRANDA: Class Sec. -Treas. 1, Pres. 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3; French Club 2, 3; Graduation Usher 3.

RAHE, JOHN: Baseball 2, Pep Club 1; French Club 1, 2; P. H. R. 4; Colonial H. S., Orlando, Fla., 3.

RIST, JOHN: Baseball 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 3.

SHOAFF, BILL: Football 1, 2, 3; Wrestling 1, 2; Track 2.

SWEET, MIKE: Track 1; Chorus 1; Band 1, 2, 3; Atlantic H. S. 1; Carterville H. S. 2,

TINCKHAM, RON: Band 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1; Carterville H.S. 1, 2.

VAVRA, STEVE: Baseball 2, 3; Track 1.

VERDUIN, LESLY: G. A. A. 1; Cast of Henry V 2; C. P. C. 1, 2; Literary Magazine 2.

WOOD, BARBARA: Class Sec. - Treas, 3,4; F, H. A. 1,2,3; G, A, A. 1, Sec. 2; French Club 1, Hosp. Ch. 2, Sec. 3; Yearbook 2, 3, Ed. 4; Graduation Marshal 3; Nat. Hon. Soc. 3,4; Nat. Merit Letter of Commendation 4; Disc 4.

### JUNIOR CLASS



"I really did have a dentist appointment today, sir."



"Don't peek."



"What do you mean it will explode?"



CLASS OFFICERS: Lee Kaplan, Vice-Pres.; John Samford, Pres.; Missing: Charles Casey, Sec.-Treas.

The <u>Tower</u> proudly presents a small group of students known as the Junior Class. These students, having finished their freshman and sophomore years, suddenly discovered that U-High was not going to be around much longer. With this fact in mind, they set their minds to the task of either making good grades or having fun. Whichever they succeed in, they will never forget that they had the best times of their lives at U-High.



"Got any more arsenic?"



Charles Casey Cindy Endres Anne Gates

Chris Halderson Gretchen Hartzog Phyllis Hough

Lee Kaplan Nancy Ladd Marc Levinson

John Samford Loretta Schneider Barbara Shea

#### 8TH GRADE





CLASS OFFICERS: Walter Bottje, Treas.; Renee Kupcek, Vice-Pres.; Lindy Parker, Pres.; Joe Swindell, Sec.



Jane Beyler Walter Bottje Tom Brown Vonica Clary Deborah Crouse Gail Elliott Heidi Grosowsky Tim Hastings Sharon Hatchett Deborah Herr Mark Holder Julie Horecker Roger Hough Linda Hungerford Charisse Hutton Michelle Jacobini Renee Kupcek Richard Miranti Eric Moe Geoff Morgan Lisa Morgan Jim Mowry Patricia Nunley Lindy Parker Mary Robbins Kathleen Shepherd David Smith Joe Swindell Rebecca Thomas Norma Whiteman Nolan Williamson Ruby Woodbridge

# NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARS

The National Merit Scholarship Program is conducted by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation, an independent, nonprofit organization. The Program conducts a nationwide search for talented students who plan to attend college and then helps them with financial assistance.

On the basis of their scores on the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test, students are awarded Letters of Commendation or are named Semi-Finalists. This year we are proud to announce that four students from University High School received Letters of Commendation.

# ILLINOIS STATE SCHOLARS

Illinois State Scholarships are given on the basis of the A, C. T. test scores. Several types of awards are given including monetary, honorary, and Certificates of Merit. These scholarships may be used in all the approved Illinois institutions, which include various colleges and universities in the state. Nine students from University High School have been named Illinois State Scholarship Semi-Finalists. We are very proud of these students.

James Flummer

Jerry Magnus

Joseph Miranti

Barbara Wood

Scott Denzel

James Flummer

Jon Mark

Cliff Masters

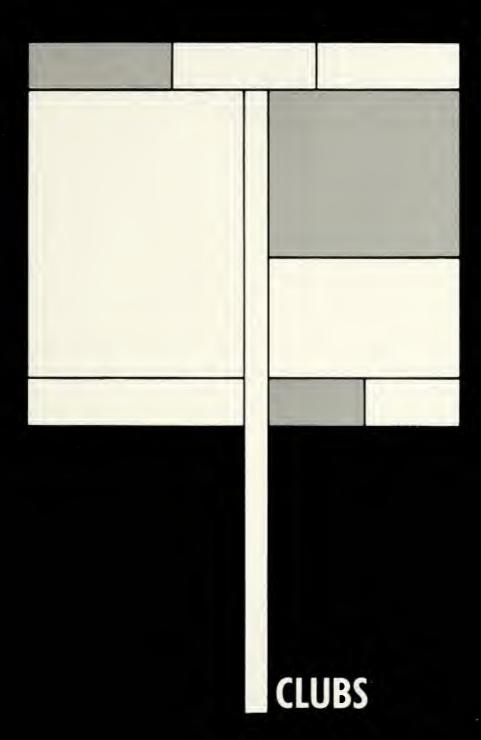
Joseph Miranti

Terry Mueller

Miranda Pratt

Ron Tinckham

Barbara Wood





Barbara Wood, Lee Kaplan, Sharon Jolly and Deb Jackson.

#### EDITORIAL STAFF

# Editor - - - - - - - - - - - - - Barbara Wood Business Managers - - - - - - - Lee Kaplan Charles Casey Classes Editor - - - - - - - - - Marty Gray Organizations Editors - - - - - Sharon Jolly Janetre Martin Assistant - - - - - - - - - - Deb Jackson Sponsor - - - - - - - - - - - Dr, Seiferth

# THE TOWER

The 1968 yearbook is an attempt by the yearbook staff to embody not only the highlights of this year but also to express the uniqueness of the final year of U-High's existence. The 1968 Tower was produced in hopes that it will stand as U-High's final memoir. The staff wishes to express its appreciation to Dt. Seiferth, who helped us even though she was no longer teaching at U. School.

# THE OBSERVER



Charles Casey, Beth Magnus, Wendy Davis, Phyllis Hough, John Samford and Monte Bedford.

The Observer was a spontaneous publication unique in its concern with moral issues. The paper has carried such controversial items as a first person expose concerning local use of drugs. Mrs. Kajeckas sponsored the paper, and Student Body President Jerry Magnus was the editor.



FRONT: Greg Poston, Lee Kaplan, Joe Miranti, Monte Bedford and Charles Casey. BACK: Deb Jackson, Barbara Wood, Sharon Jolly.

#### DISC

Bi-monthly, Disc met with the purpose of discussing current events and social problems in hopes of gaining a more mature and understanding viewpoint of the world. Topics included alienation of youth, urban problems, Viet Nam, and the educational system. The members of Disc wish to express their gratitude to their sponsor, Dr. Benson.

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FRONT: Lee Kaplan, John Samford.

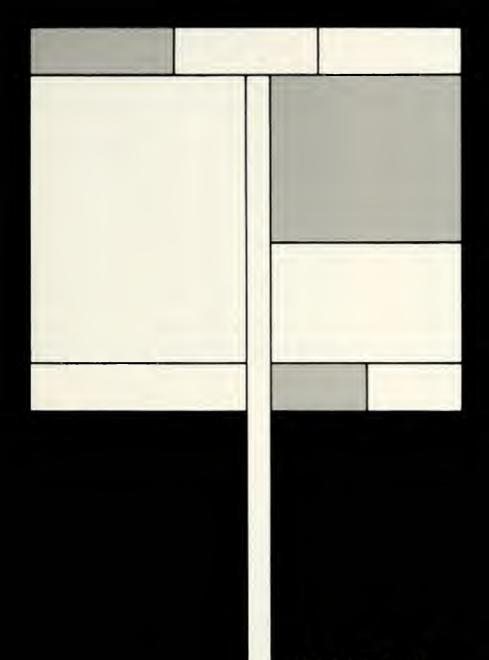
BACK: Deb Jackson, Joyce Johnson, Lesly Verduin and Phyllis Hough.



Off to Normal!

### **SPEECH**

The speech club attended several invitational tournaments before it was disbanded due to a ruling by the Illinois High School Association. It then turned its endeavors towards the theatrical field. The members wish to express their appreciation to Mrs. Kajeckas, the sponsor.



**CANDIDS** 



"No, she isn't."



Who has smelly feet?



"Man, am I weak!"



Screw it!



It looks like WHAT?



She does look better from here!



That was fun!



Take a what?



"Do you really want coeducational showers?"



"Just take a little off in the back, please."



"It broke."



"It won't fit in."



"Cool it, Kupcek,"



Catch!



What split?



"Quick, before he catches us holding hands!"



Left turn.



Isn't swimming fun?



"Who's got creative juice?"



A gift to the poor.



Crowded quarters.



Shave him now.



Buddha who?



"They said I had bad breath."



"Quick, stuff it in your purse."



A swan song.



Everybody take three laps.



Let's go!



Don't look, boys.



"What's that I smell?"



Hello, Mom?



Don't stand up, Barry.



Who's got big ears?



Relaxing at the end of the day.

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Above, Janette Martin and Barb Wood can't decide which hat they look best in. Bleyer's has the latest in ladies' fashions.

Right, Janette Martin shows Charles Casey the proper way to tie a Windsor knot while shopping at Kaleidoscope.

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#### **EDITOR'S NOTE**

The 1968 <u>Tower</u> is a book which I hope will make up in quality what it lacks in quantity. The staff and I hope that we have captured something of the spirit of this unique and most memorable "last year" of University School.

Special thanks is due to Dr. Seiferth, our sponsor; the Taylor Publishing Company and their representative, Mr. Charles Sisk; Neunlist Studio, who took the class pictures; the Carbondale businesses who supported us through advertising; and the office staff, who have been very understanding.

Barbara Wood























